

REBUTTAL TO THE ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF PROPOSITION C

Prop C supporters claim it will save taxpayers money. False!

Any salary savings generated by cutting the City Attorney salary will be far outweighed by the provision that gives Councilmembers their own lawyer. **This additional, unnecessary attorney would likely cost taxpayers \$150,000+ annually!**

The money wasted by Prop C should instead be spent on police, parks, libraries or roads.

You voted just four years ago to set your City Attorney's salary based on what other city attorneys make in similar cities. This insures Chula Vista can attract the best qualified attorneys to a position that's vital to the City's best interests.

Term limits are appealing to many. But because it is a professional position—not a political one—**only 2 of the 12 elected city attorneys in California have term limits.**

Finally, Prop C's claims about conflicts of interest are false. The City Attorney has already advised that in any case involving a claim against him, another party could hire outside counsel.

But don't be fooled. Ultimately, Prop C is not about salary savings, term limits, or conflicts of interest. It's a blatant attempt to undermine the independence and authority of your elected City Attorney, with no regard for the added costs and dysfunction this will create at City Hall, and for citizens trying to get City services.

Please join community leaders from both parties, the Chula Vista Chamber of Commerce—and many others—and Vote NO on Proposition C.

Kevin O'Neill, former Chula Vista Planning Commissioner and local businessman
Bill Hall, former [REDACTED]
John Moot, former Chula Vista City Councilmember and local attorney

President Chula Vista Chamber of Commerce / Local Resident

ARGUMENT/REBUTTAL SIGNATURES

(The following statement is required by California Elections Code Section 9600.)

The undersigned authors of the Rebuttal to the argument Against In Favor of ballot proposition C
Direct OR Rebuttal to the In favor of OR Against Letter
 at the General election for the City of Chula Vista to be held on June 5, 2012 hereby state
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 that such argument is true and correct to the best of Their knowledge and belief.
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